

## Mrs. Hibbard's Notes

I hope you enjoyed winter recess whether you traveled or stayed home, I hope it provided some time for your family to reconnect. The next 5 weeks will likely go very quickly leading up to our Spring Break.

February was a busy month at Cady Stanton! Please check out all of the information in this newsletter and enjoy many pages of pictures of some of the fun things that happened. I hope your student(s) also shared with you our Kindness Week celebration and that you saw them exhibiting acts of kindness at home. We hope our students learned the importance of kindness and know the smallest acts can have a positive impact on someone else, the classroom, the school, the community or the world!



Did you know that Cady Stanton used to have a Lego Robotics club sponsored by Gould's/ITT and run by parent volunteers? If you would be interested in organizing and starting this club up again, please contact me and I can put you in touch with people who can let you know how to get started.

March will be just as busy with parent-teacher conferences, a district band concert, and district chorus concert. You won't want to miss our Family LEAD night held on March 14! We will be sharing more information about all events and I invite you to reach out to your child's teacher with any questions.

Thank you for all you do to support our school!  
~Mrs. Hibbard

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## Mark your Calendars

### Wednesday, March 6

Grade 3 Roller Skating, 3:15-4:45  
**NO PTO Meeting this month!!**

### Wednesday, March 6

BOE Meeting, 6 pm, District Office

### Wednesday, March 13

End of Trimester #2  
District Band Concert, 7 pm, MS gym

### Thursday, March 14

Family LEAD night, 6-7:30 pm  
*(flyer will come home next week)*

### Friday, March 15

NO SCHOOL-Superintendent Conference Day!

### Wednesday, March 20

Parent State Testing Q&A, MS library, 6 pm  
District Chorus Concert (Stanton Singers & grades 6—12 only), 7 pm, HS Auditorium

### Thursday, March 21

11:30 Dismissal, Parent-Teacher Conferences  
BOE Meeting, 6 pm, Middle School Library

### Friday, March 22

11:30 Dismissal, Parent-Teacher Conferences

### SPRING BREAK

March 29—April 8

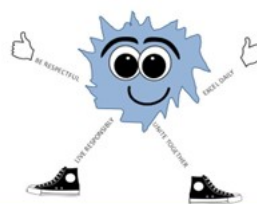
**Save the Dates!** We will be administering the NYS assessments over the next few months. More information will be shared at the end of March.

**April 11 & 12** NYS ELA Assessments grades 3-8

**May 8 & 9** NYS Math Assessments grades 3-8

**May 14** NYS Science Assessment grade 5





## Reminders

**IMPORTANT!!** - If your child arrives at school AFTER 9:05 they must be signed in at the front door by an adult. Please walk your child to the door—for safety reasons, our procedure is that all students be signed in once school has begun. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Please remember to contact the main office with any changes to your child's family information such as phone numbers, work information, and emergency contacts. This will ensure that we are able to contact you with important information about your child.

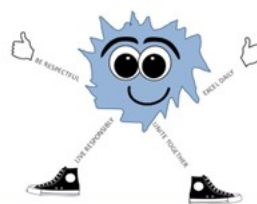
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**Reminder:** For families picking up students at dismissal, please drive carefully and be alert walking to and from the vehicle. Whenever possible, please use our sidewalks and crossing guard. Thank you for keeping all students safe!



## March 2024-letter days

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 E-day	2
3	4 F-day	5 A-day	6 B-day Grade 3 Roller Skating, 3:45-4:45 BOE Meeting, 6 pm	7 C-day	8 D-day	9
10	11 E-day	12 F-day	13 A-day District Band Concert, 7 pm, MS gym	14 B-day Family LEAD night, 6-7:30 pm	15 CONFERENCE DAY NO SCHOOL!!!	16
17	18 C-day	19 D-day	20 E-day District Chorus Concert, 7 pm, HS Aud. (Stanton Singers and gr 6-12 only)	21 11:30 Dismissal Parent-Teacher Conf. F-day BOE Meeting, 6 pm	22 11:30 Dismissal Parent-Teacher Conf. A-day	23
24/31	25 B-day	26 C-day	27 D-day	28 E-day	29 NO SCHOOL!!	30



## Spelling Bee!



Congratulations to the Cady Stanton Top Spellers who participated with the top middle school spellers in the District Spelling Bee on February 8. There were many difficult words! Each student showed courage and great spelling! Congratulations to the SFCSD Spelling Bee Champion Matthew Christensen and runner-up Aidan Cole! These two fifth graders will compete in the Regional Spelling Bee in March.

Good Luck!!!

Congratulations to all of our Stanton participants.

We are proud of you!!

Matthew Christensen  
Quinton Boyes  
Hannah Radwick  
Madison Carlino

Aidan Cole  
Jaxson Harko  
Chaysyn Danforth  
Mason Christensen  
Myla Seneca



Way to go!



## Congratulations to February's Students of the Month!

### 3rd Grade

Gabe H.  
Evelynn D.  
Paislei D.  
Ryleigh H.  
Alaina P.

### 4th Grade

Georgia K.  
Brody M.  
Jeorgia M.  
Piper R.  
Owen W.

### 5th Grade

Rostam G.-S.  
Lillian S.  
Morgan M  
Alivia C.  
Mikalea T.-R.



### PE (gr. 3)

Liam J.

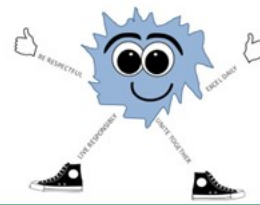
### PE (gr 4)

Kymani B.

### Band (gr 5)

Hannah R.





## CURRICULUM CORNER

Each month information will be shared about what your child is learning in school. This will be an overview of topics being learned; please contact your child's teacher for more details as needed.

If you have special talents or knowledge of a topic to be studied that you would like to share, please reach out to your child's teacher.

We would love for you to share in our students' learning!

**Grade 3:** In Math, we will wrap up our study of area utilizing the area formula to find an unknown side or unknown area, including solving word problems with area. Then, we will begin our study of fractions! We will use concrete models to identify fractions as part of a whole and part of a set. In ELA, we will extend our study of Japan by reading *Dragon of Red Dawn from the Magic Tree House series!* Then, students will get to pick a country they want to research. We will round out the month by planning, drafting, and publishing informational writing pieces on our selected countries.

**Grade 4:** Fourth graders will be finishing our unit on Colonial America and will begin to investigate and learn about the American Revolution. Students will learn about different perspectives of the time period. For math students are finishing up the geometry unit and will begin the unit study of fractions. Students will learn to decompose, compare, add and subtract fractions. In science class, students have begun a unit on Earth Processes and will explore rocks and fossils. Please continue to practice multiplication and division facts and also read each night!

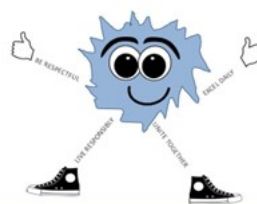
**Grade 5:** In math, we are continuing our work with fractions focusing on Module 4: Multiplication and Division of Fractions and Decimal Fractions. In ELA, we are wrapping up our work with *Who Was?* biographies related to Black History Month. Students are working on a final project about their biography subject to share with classmates! We will be moving on to some review and practice of short response strategies to prepare for upcoming state testing. In writing, we are continuing our work with opinion writing. Students are working on persuasive leads to begin their writing and pulling evidence from a text to support their opinion. We recently wrapped up our social studies unit on complex societies-students enjoyed learning about the Incas, Mayas, and Aztecs and what makes these societies complex!

## DATA CORNER

iReady sets yearly growth targets for our students. After the 2nd diagnostic test, data show:

- 63% of students have already met their Reading Growth target!
- 38% have already met their Math Growth target!

We are so incredibly proud of our students and look forward to seeing the progress they'll make during the 2nd half of the year!!



## PTO NEWS



We have a few fun things happening this month to kick off spring! But first off, the PTO would like to thank everyone who attended our BINGO for BOOKS and Cake Raffle.

Our next PTO meeting will be **Wednesday, April 10 at 6:00 pm** in the Cady Stanton Library. **Note: There is no meeting in March.** All are welcome, whether you are mom, dad, grandparents, aunts or uncles, please feel free to come and see what we are all about! Also, Please join our Facebook page and Instagram page to keep up to date with upcoming PTO events.

Our **Spring Fundraiser** will be starting right before Spring Break. Order forms and information about the "Divine Desserts Cake Fundraiser" will be sent home the week of March 25. All fundraiser profits are used for special events and to help fund student field trips. Thank you!



The **3rd grade Roller Skating Party** will be **Wednesday, March 6**. Students must wear a helmet in order to participate ( if your student does not have one or they forget their we do have a few that can be borrowed). Please remember to send your child with a signed permission slip, \$5.00, a water bottle and helmet. Your child will need to be picked up at 4:45pm as there is no late bus for this event. Please enter from the back parking lot, meet your child in the gym, and remember to sign out your child before leaving the building.

The PTO would like to remind families that we are still doing the BoxTops, so if you are looking for a way to support our school, BoxTops is an easy way to do so. You can download the BoxTops App and set up for our school to receive the funds. All you have to do is scan your recipes and the app will find the Box-Top products for you, no more having to cut them out and send them.

**Upcoming Dates: March 6 - Gr 3 Roller Skating 3:15-4:45    March 25 - Spring Fundraiser Begins**

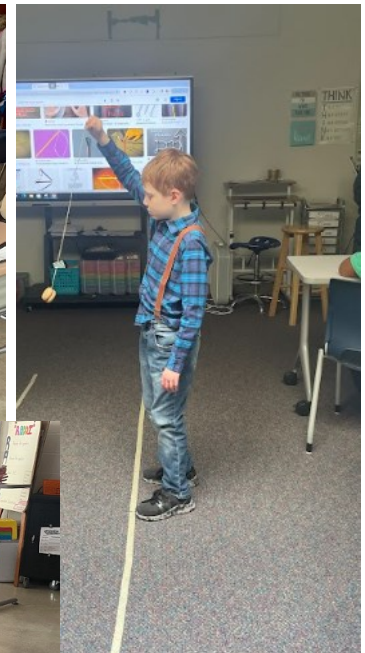
**April 10 - PTO Meeting**

**April Date TBD - Family Paint Night**

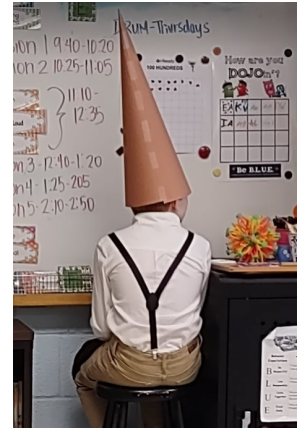
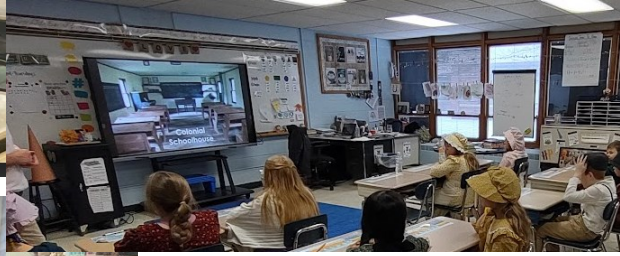
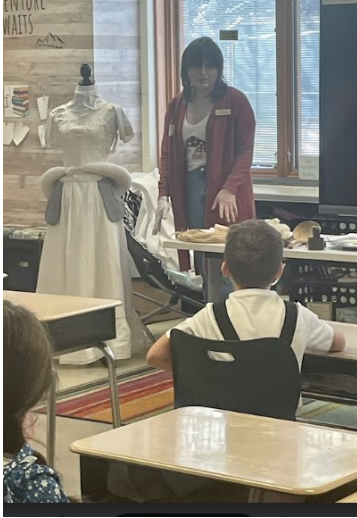


*Grade 4 Colonial day—one of our students favorite traditions!*

Thank you to Mrs. LaRocca for teaching us about weaving and to Ms. Hare for teaching us about colonial toys!



Thank you to Ms. Riley Stevers of the Seneca Falls Historical Society and to Mr. Noone for sharing colonial items and stories!





One of the favorite traditions of Colonial Day includes cooking johnnycakes and making homemade butter.

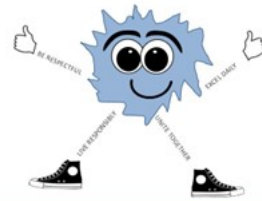




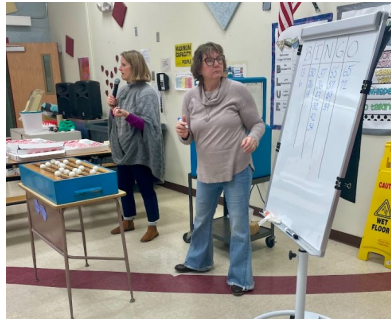
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March 2023

"READING IS THE PASSPORT TO THE WORLD"



Bingo for Books! Thank you to the PTO for hosting one of our favorite events of the year!



Kindness Week was a big hit with many random act of kindness and fun theme days!



IN A  
WORLD  
WHERE YOU CAN BE  
ANYTHING  
BE KIND

Our BLUE Bash on the last day of February finished out our Kindness Month. Students won prizes for completing the kindness Scavenger Hunt. We also played a game of "leap frog dash" for Leap Day!

